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HONOLULU BARRED TO THROUGH PASSENGERS

ARMED POSSE IN OKLAHOMA SLACKER HUNT

Washington Announces That
Anti-Draft Disturbers Will
Be Run Down and Punished
as Example and Warning to Others

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
cation Service)

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 4.—The department of justice announced today that the draft resisters in Oklahoma or elsewhere will be run down and punished no matter what it may cost. Provost Gen. Crowder and Assistant Attorney General Fitts are today in conference devising ways and means to put an effective check on the anti-draft agitators.

SASAKWA, Okla., Aug. 4.—Spreading terror among the innocent and peaceful colored farmers and workers in this state by objectors is said to have been the cause of the uprising against the operations of the selective draft, but the plot was poorly organized, and it is anticipated quiet will soon be restored.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., August 4.—Following the serious anti-draft disturbances which broke out in the state yesterday, a force of armed men, estimated at 1000, is today engaged in rounding up bands of armed "tommy" farmers, negroes, and half-breeds who offered armed resistance to the selective draft registration, and who declared they were initiating the Russian extremists, burning railway bridges and cutting wire communications in several counties.

The demonstrators have gone amuck and are working themselves up into a frenzy and are threatening to raid the ranches and stores and burn the villages. They have abandoned their own crops in the midst of the harvest.

State officials yesterday sent urgent requests to Washington that heavily armed posses, with instructions to shoot to kill, be dispatched without delay into the disaffected districts. Early last evening this suggestion was acted upon and 100 United States deputy sheriffs were sent out against the demonstrators. The men have taken large supplies of ammunition.

National Guard Promised if Needed. Following appeals that were made to the sheriff, 20 armed men were sent from Oklahoma City to Holdenville and Wewoka and it is believed that these and others who joined their parties are the posses reported in conflict with the rioters.

Despatches late last night from Oklahoma City said that posses numbering a thousand armed men were being organized and would be ready to move at dawn against the 400 anti-drafters who were reported to be in the vicinity of Sasakwa in Seminole county.

Assurances have been given by the adjutant general that if this armed force fails in its mission the national guard will be called out as a last resort.

BASEBALL RESULTS TODAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE
At Chicago—Chicago 5, Philadelphia 1.
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 3, Boston 6.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 4, New York 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
At Washington—Washington 5, St. Louis 3.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 3, Chicago 7.

U.S. Commandeers All Vessels Over 2500 Now Building

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
cation Service)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 4.—It was announced today that an emergency order has been issued requisitioning for government use all ships now building with a tonnage of over 2500.

In order to speed up the production in the nation's shipyards, double and triple shifts are working, and the industry is seeing an almost feverish burst of speed as an answer to the German U-boat challenge.

High Lights In The Week's News

By Poole



NEW BUILDINGS PROPOSED FOR KAMEHAMEHA

Architect Goodhue of Boston
Called Into Consultation By
Bishop Trustees Relative To
Improvements Representing
\$250,000 Outlay

BERTRAM G. GOODHUE, the noted architect now visiting in Hawaii, has been secured by the trustees of the Bishop estate to make a block plan for proposed extensive improvements at the Kamehameha schools, Kalahe, which improvements, when completed, may involve the expenditure of a quarter of a million dollars or more.

Decision to employ Mr. Goodhue was reached at a meeting of the trustees of the estate yesterday afternoon. He is to begin work immediately and expects to have a rough plan ready for submission to the trustees within a very short time.

There are a large number of buildings at Kamehameha, some dating as far back as 1838, and many of these are gradually wearing out. Several years ago the trustees adopted a policy of constructing no more wooden buildings. The plan now is to replace a majority, or all, of these buildings with modern structures constructed from fireproof material, and this plan, one of the trustees says, raised the question of the location and size of the new buildings.

The block plan to be prepared by Architect Goodhue will not only indicate the ground location of the new buildings, but it is likely the cost will now be estimated. Orientation and accessibility also will be considered in the plan.

No estimate has been arrived at as regards the cost of the proposed new buildings, but it is likely the cost will total a quarter of a million dollars or more. Several years may be required to construct all of the new buildings.

TRANSPORT BRINGS 2000 PASSENGERS

With nearly 2000 persons aboard, a United States transport docked at the naval wharf today at noon. There are among those on board 198 non-commissioned officers who have passed their examinations or have been recommended for commissions bound for the states for assignment with the new draft army. The transport is so crowded that these new officers are compelled "to sleep troop and eat troop."

The second steerage is filled with the wives and children of these new officers and other married non-commissioned officers. There are 94 children and about 150 women aboard the transport. In all the transport has nearly 2000 persons aboard.

Col. Ernest Hinds of the Philippine Headquarters staff is one of the prominent passengers. According to a notice posted at the office of the transport quartermaster captain, Capt. H. Chambers, she will sail for the coast at noon tomorrow.

A son, Joseph, was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Santos of 516 Ward street.

LATE NEWS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK 'CHANGE CLOSED TODAY
NEW YORK, N. Y., Aug. 4.—The stock exchange was closed today.

BIG GUNS ARE POUNDING AWAY ON WEST FRONT
BERLIN, Germany, Aug. 4.—Reports from the Belgium front today say the artillery fire is becoming more violent, but that infantry movements are unimportant. "Shock" troops have entered French lines in the Argonne sector, and have returned with many prisoners.

TEUTON FORCES OVERTURN GALICIA AND CROSS RUSSIAN BORDER
BERLIN, Germany, Aug. 4.—The Teuton forces are reported to have crossed the Russian frontier northeast of Czernowitz. All Galicia has been wrested from the Slavs with the exception of a narrow strip. The Kaiser is with the troops in Courland, and in an address to the men declared that the "old German perseverance, tenacity and courage had built an impassable barrier whereon the Russian advance had been broken. It is our Fatherland, the beautiful country of Germany, that we are here defending."

QUARREL WITH FRIEND SENDS WOMAN TO HOSPITAL
With a cut head and badly bruised, "Wanda," a Hawaiian woman, was brought into the police station at about 2:40 this afternoon, following a quarrel with the man who is about to become her husband, A. G. Snow, a colored federal employe. Snow got into a dispute with the woman and in the tussle she was injured and sent to the hospital while he went to jail.

NO PEACE YET IN SIGHT DECLARES LLOYD GEORGE IN SPEECH TO COMMONS

Premier Declares Kaiser and Michaelis Talk Glibly But That No Faith is to Be Placed in Word—"Victory Must Be So Complete Liberty Never Again Shall Be Challenged"

LONDON, Eng., Aug. 4.—"Victory must be so complete that our liberty shall never again be challenged," was the ringing declaration of Premier Lloyd George, speaking in the house of commons today.

"Russia has learned that an army without discipline is a rabble. We have no trust in 'Germany's peace talk,' continued the premier, "and neither the Kaiser nor the Chancellor has yet said they would be satisfied with German soil. They talk glibly about peace but stammer at the word restoration. Before we make peace the conference of Central Powers must learn the use of the word."

Concluding, Lloyd George said that if Britain had not entered the war France might have been overwhelmed, and America's Monroe doctrine treated as a scrap of paper.

LONDON, Eng., Aug. 4.—Premier Lloyd George in his speech to the commons today, said that war was a ghastly business, but not so bad as a peace concluded on terms such as Germany would dictate.

"Knowing how their plot has miscarried," said the premier, "the war lords were determined to succeed the next time. There must be no next time. This generation must see to it that war is forever eliminated from the tragedies of human life."

AUSTRIANS LAUNCH POWERFUL ATTACKS

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)
ROME, Italy, Aug. 4.—Despatches from the Italian front today tell of powerful Austrian attacks being made on advanced positions, all being repulsed with heavy losses to the Teutons.

TO BE STARTED IMMEDIATELY

Principal Aim of Washington is
to Pave Way for Japanese
and Italians to Become
American Soldiers

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Commu-
cation Service)

ASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 4.—It was intimated here today that before the subjects of the Allies can be brought under the working of the selective law, and drafted into the ranks of Uncle Sam's new armies, treaties with Japan and Italy will have to undergo revision.

Negotiations looking toward an understanding will be entered on immediately, it was stated today by government officials.

WOULD BRING HEALTH MEN HERE IN 1919

Dr. Pratt Reports Plan for
Holding Convention of Ex-
perts in Honolulu Favorably
Received

To bring the leaders of the federal public health service to Honolulu in 1919 for their annual conference is the plan of Dr. J. S. B. Pratt, president of the board of health, and of the Hawaiian promotion committee.

Dr. Pratt offered this plan to the convention this year, from which he recently returned, and found it favorably received. He is now cooperating with the promotion committee to bring the men here.

At the last annual meeting in Boston, Dr. Pratt was elected president of the conference which will be held in 1918 in San Francisco. At that time he will have his plans for bringing the men here for the conference of 1919 well formulated.

"If they decide to make the trip, which is very possible, we believe now, it will be within their power to requisition a revenue cutter for the use on that trip alone," declared Emil A. Berndt, chairman of the promotion committee, this morning.

"Under such circumstances the trip would not only be novel, but would lend many advantages in the privileges which it would allow the men." The annual conference of the federal sanitary workers is usually attended by about 200 men and is held some time in the early summer.

HALEY ABOUT SAME

John F. Haley, collector of internal revenue, who is seriously ill at the Beretania sanitarium, was said to be resting quite comfortably this afternoon. His condition is said to be about the same as of yesterday.

SIGNAL COMPANY HERE.

Lieut. R. C. Cotton, Signal Corps, with a company of signal corps men for duty in the Hawaiian Department, arrived here on the transport this morning from the Philippines.

U. S. OFFICIAL ORDER PROHIBITS LANDING WHILE IN THIS PORT

Treasury Department Takes Steps to Prevent Means of Communicating Information to Enemies of Allies By Persons Proceeding to Ports Outside of United States on Vessels Touching at American Harbors

No persons, passengers or members of the crew, on any vessel destined for a foreign port will be allowed to land at Honolulu hereafter.

Such is the gist of an order issued to all shipping agencies late yesterday afternoon by Collector of Customs M. A. Franklin. The order will apply to ships of American register, as well as those of allied nations and neutrals.

It will go into effect tomorrow and the passengers and the crew of the Pacific Mail steamer due in the morning will be the first to suffer from the imposition of this war restriction.

For a war precaution and restriction it is intended primarily to stop the transmission of unauthorized messages to the national enemy, Germany. Drastic as are its provisions, it is claimed that it is necessary, and is a step that is being taken by the treasury department in order to cooperate with all the other departments of the government to check the transmission of important war news to Berlin.

Honolulu and Manila are practically the only American ports where the restrictions created by this order will be severely felt. Pacific Mail, Oceanic, Canadian-Australian and Dutch liners outward bound for foreign ports are all held to be amenable to this rule. American transports are said to be exempt, and enlisted men and officers will be allowed to land. Later, it is asserted, the order may be interpreted to include inward bound vessels for mainland ports.

Consular officials or officials of America or a friendly nation are not to be denied the privilege of landing. But as the order now stands such persons are the only exception. Shipping people will attempt to get it modified so ship's officers may have the privilege of landing, but the local American shipping agencies will not protest against the order otherwise, it is believed. The head of one of the shipping agencies said this morning: "An order is an order, and if it is enforced at all it has to be enforced entirely." Under the clause that officials of a friendly nation are to be allowed to land, the ruling will in no wise affect the reception of the Japanese war commission which will arrive.

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Wants City Buying Agent To Do Work He Gets Paid For

Motion Introduced Before Sup-
ervisors to Have Wescott
Tend to Business

"I MOVE that H. E. Wescott, purchasing agent, be notified that the working hours of the city of Honolulu are from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. and that he must be in his office between those hours, except on official city and county business, if he wishes to retain his position."

This was the motion made Friday evening at the meeting of the board of supervisors by William McClellan and it passed unanimously.

Mr. McClellan opened his criticism by saying: "It seems to me that there is something radically wrong with the purchasing agent in regard to the time which he gives to city and county work. I have visited his office several times in the last two weeks and seldom found him in. On investigation I found that he is also working for the Pacific Commercial Advertiser at \$200 a month. As he is drawing \$175 a month from the city and county I consider it highly unfair of Wescott to work for others and receive full pay from the government."

At one of the first meetings of the board Charles Bellina said he thought there was something wrong in the way in which bids were called for and asked an investigation.

E. A. Mott-Smith, chairman of the finance committee, to whom the matter was referred, reported that he had not had sufficient time to investigate. Further time was granted him.

SUGAR SOARS, \$144.20 A TON

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—Sugar, 96 degrees test, 7.21 cents. Previous quotation, 7.02 cents.

Schroeder Is Suspended By Hackfeld Co.

Newspaper Reports Reaching
Here Say U. S. Regards
Rodiek as German Financial
Agent

HENRICH August Schroeder, secretary to former German Consul Georg Rodiek, and employed in the insurance department of H. Hackfeld & Co., has been suspended by the company, it was announced today, pending the outcome of his trial on charges of complicity in a plot to foment a rebellion in India.

Mr. Rodiek, a vice president of Hackfeld & Co., and former president of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association, who is also under indictment for alleged complicity in the Hindu plot, still retains his official connection with the firm.

Mr. Schroeder was suspended early this week, after he had surrendered himself to the local federal authorities, following the receipt of instructions by U. S. Attorney S. C. Huber to place him under arrest and remove him to San Francisco.

Attorney Huber has notified U. S. Attorney Preston in San Francisco that Schroeder will leave for the mainland on the steamer Maui Wednesday. That Mr. Rodiek acted as financial agent for the German government in the Hawaiian Islands in connection with the movement to secure money, men, arms and ammunition for the Hindu uprising, is the belief of federal authorities in San Francisco, according to newspaper reports reaching Honolulu. These reports, published just before Rodiek was arrested at the dock in San Francisco, assert that he was unaware of the fact that he had been indicted by the federal grand jury.